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**Man Convicted of Molesting
Two Girls, Boy in San Pedro**

A jury today found a 47-year-old man guilty of molesting three family members, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Deputy District Attorney Amy Wilton said the jury deliberated for day and a half before finding Vicente Bojorquez guilty of six counts of lewd act upon a child under age 14. Jurors also found true the allegations that the crime was committed against multiple victims.

In addition, the charging document alleges that Bojorquez was convicted of unlawful driving or taking of a vehicle in 2005 and receiving stolen property in 2006.

Bojorquez is scheduled to be sentenced May 19 in Department South 20 of the Los Angeles County Superior Court in Long Beach before Judge Mark C. Kim. The defendant faces a sentence of more than 45 years to life in state prison.

The prosecutor said Bojorquez molested the victims in San Pedro between the mid-1990s and 2002. The named victims included two girls and a boy, all under the age of 14.

In 2010, one of the female victims came forward about the sexual assaults. Soon after, other family members also revealed that they had been sexually abused by the defendant.

At the time of the arrest, Bojorquez was living in Mexico. During a visit to Southern California, he was apprehended by police on Dec. 5, 2012. He has remained in custody since his capture.

The case was investigated by the Los Angeles Police Department, Juvenile Division, Abused Child Section.

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Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to seeking justice for victims of crime and enhancing public safety. Last year, the [Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office](#) prosecuted more than 73,000 felony defendants and 113,000 misdemeanor defendants.